

REMARKS

Applicant provides a complete listing of the claims with their status identifier. Claims 1-20, 22, 33-51 have been cancelled. Applicant submits that no new matter is presented by these amendments and respectfully requests entry of the same.

If the Examiner feels that a telephone conference would in any way expedite the prosecution of the application, please do not hesitate to call the undersigned at (408) 731-5000.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 01-0431.

Respectfully submitted,



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